PAYMENT OF TEACHERS 66 DE 100 OF TOTAL

Checks to Be Forwarded for October Salaries.

DISBURSING OFFICE READY

Rapid Work Necessary in Order to Complete Preliminaries.

REORGANIZATION OF SCHOOLS

Commission Considering Reduction in Buildings-Colored Citizens to

Meet Superintendent.

The 1,700 public school teachers in the District can get their pay checks for the of October tomorrow morning if 3 they apply in person at the Franklin School building. A statement to this effect was made by Charles C. Rogers, the District

disbursing officer, this morning. The pay rolls of the public school system, which were late in being forwarded to the auditor of the District, have been completely audited and signed by Auditor Garrison, and the necessary signature of 3 placed on the checks by the time the for distribution. The work of completing the auditing and signing of this large pay roll at such an early date, in view of the delay, is looked upon as unusually rapid. However, to make it possible to pay the teachers tomorrow, the forces of the au-

Special Commission at Work.

ditor's and disbursing officers' offices were compelled to be reinforced and to work

The special commission, composed of Cou John Biddle, the Engineer Commissioner of the District; William E. Chancellor, superintendent of the public schools, and James 3 Taylor, supervising architect of the United States treasury, which was created by the last Congress to form a general plan of consolidation of the public schools and for the abandonment and sa.e of such school sites and buildings as they may deem necessary for the best good of the school service in the District, began active operations this morning.

that of making a thorough inspection the various school buildings throughout the District and the sites upon which they are located, with a view of determining the advisability of changing the location of the schools, the question for them to decide being the present policy of making numerous four and eight-room school room buildings and having them located so that buildings and having them located so that no one of them will be far away from houses in any section of the District, or to establish large school buildings, and not build so many of them, but have them centrally located.

The placing of large school buildings at certain intervals is done, the Commissioners say, in New York and other large cities and are looked upon favorably. They do away with the little buildings scattered about the city, according to the Commisstoners, and in the end, it is believed, they will be less expensive in many respects. The only difficulty which this commission expects in its work is, if it determines on the large school buildings, centrally located, such a plan might cause dissatisfaction among the citizens, whose children | 3 will have to go a greater distance to attend school, and may possibly have to ride on the cars if the distance between their home and the school is too great.

Inspection Begun.

For several weeks this special commission has been preparing a plan of action 3 to follow, preparatory to beginning its 3 would begin inspecting the the traversing of the entire District, as the present school buildings are located 3 every section of the city and county. Commissioner Biddle said this morning, before starting on this tour of inspection, that owing to the number of schools and the vast amount of territory to be covered, the work will take several weeks.

Other provisions of the act of Congress 3 creating this special committee require the latter, after reviewing the school question, to submit a general plan of character, size and location of school buildings and sites in accordance with the local educational and business interests. In other words, it is explained, it must determine if the four and eight room school buildings should be distributed around, or whether these buildings should be abandoned. It is also to pass upon the type of school buildings and

the general architecture. When speaking of this proposed consolidation of the public school system an of-ficial in the engineer department said yesterday that according to the present system the school buildings are so numerous and situated in such manner as few school chil-dren have to go more than six or seven blocks from their homes to attend, except in the remote suburbs, and even then, he says, the distances are much shorter than would be suposed. However he is of the opinion that if the present system is changed and the numerous little schools are abandoned, much protest will be forthcoming from the parents of school children.

"I know one man," this official stated, "who has said if the school system is changed so that his children have to walk fifteen blocks or ride to and from school he would rather not send them to and this is likely to be the sentiment of many others."

Arranging for Interview.

Rev. Dr. S. L. Corrothers, president of the colored citizens' committee on public of the executive committee of the organization to take under consideration steps to arrange for an interview with Supt. Chancellor of the public schools. This move was made by Dr. Corrothers after he had read the invitation extended to the committee by the superintendent, published in

The Star yesterday afternoon, It is understood that Dr. Corrothers will select the committee which will confer with Dr. Chancellor, acting, of course, on the advice of the executive body of the citizens'

The superintendent of schools has been taken at his word, and the colored people await the outcome with the greatest inter-

RELEASED ON BAIL.

Alphonso M. Newell Appears in Police Court.

Alphonso M. Newell was taken to the Police Court today from the sixth precinct

station, and a charge of committing assault with a dangerous weapon on Victor E. Adler, 1205 10th street, was entered against him. Prosecuting Attorney Ralph Given stated to the court that he had learned that Mr. Adler has not recovered sufficient-ly to appear in court, and asked for a continuance until next Monday.

At the request of Prosecuting Attorney

Given, Judge Mullowny fixed bond at \$2,000, which was furnished. Attorney Julius I. Peyser apeared for Newell.

When asked regarding the report that Mr. Adler would not prosecute Newell, Prosecuting Attorney Given stated that he

had not been informed directly of such an intent on Mr. Adler's part. won't prosecute him, I will," Mr. tated. "I do not think that it is a Given stated. case that ought to be dropped in this

Charlie Kincaid Dead.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, November 2.-Charles Eustis Kincaid, former United States consular agent at Lancashire, England, and for a long time special correspondent at Washington for New York and San Francisco papers, died today in the City Hospital aged fifty-one years. He had been with the Enquirer for the last eleven years.

"Prima-Quality" Shoes For Women, \$3 and \$3.50 pr.

No doubt you have noticed that almost every other high-grade Shoe for women that sold for \$3.50 last season has been advanced to \$4.00. The prices of "Prima-Quality" remain the same — \$3.00 and. \$3.50 a pair. We haven't had to cheapen the quality in order to maintain the price. On the contrary, "Prima-Quality" Shoes are bettered in style and workmanship over last season's product. Choice of 75 styles, every one a model of smart style and high-grade workman-

In button, blucher and lace styles; welt and turn soles.

All leathers, including Patent Kid, Patent Colt, Glaze Kid, Dull Kid and Calfskin.

Low, College and regular cut. AA to E widths; in every size.

Prices, \$3.00 and \$3.50 a pair.



Open Until 9 O'Clock Tomorrow Night.

"THE DEPENDABLE STORE."

SEVENTH AND K STREETS.

Famous Dr. Edison "Cushion= Sole" Shoes for Women, \$3.50.

All that a stylish, high-grade Shoe should be - and more. The soles are extremely flexible and the inner soles are covered with soft felt cushions, lined with fine soft kidskin, which gives the wearer a feeling of comfort not experienced when wearing any other footwear. Women who wear Dr. Edison's "Curhion-Sole" Shoes never know what it means to have

Lace and button styles, in all sizes, and low and medium heels.

Price always the same-\$3.50 a pair.

Beautiful Trimmed Hats Worth \$10 and \$12 for \$6.98.

A Saturday sale of 75 Beautiful Trim-

med Hats, made up from the most expensive materials, rich in handsome colorings, bright with the charm of exclusiveness and newest style. An important feature of the sale is that NO TWO ARE ALIKE, which means that every woman who purchases one of these Hats is sure of a distinctive style.

Every one of the Hats in this collection gets its inspiration from the costliest imported headwear. Some are made of finest quality silk velvets, others of beaver and felt. Colors include navy blue, red, brown, garnet, green and white.

The values are so exceptional that we will be surprised if a single hat remains after tomorrow night.

A line of Children's Trimmed Hats, made in a splendid assortment of new and beautiful styles of fine quality Velvets or Felts, trimmed with ribbons, velvets, ornaments and feathers. Hats that will lend added charm to childhood's beauty. Regular \$7.00 and \$8.00 values, offered as a special value for Saturday at.

WOMEN'S STOCKINGS, 25c.

Grades Sold at 35c. and 39c. Pr. A lot of exceptionally Fine Stockings for an unusually low price---due to

a purchase of 200 dozen pairs. Warranted Fast Black Combed Maco Yarn Stockings, in light, medium and heavy weights-just the sort for cold weather With split foot and ingrain top.

These are the famous "Justice" brand Stockings—a name that guarantees the wear and quality and every pair.

Regular 35c. and 39c. values; tomorrow for 25c. a pair.

This boys' clothing store has grown from a small beginning to the biggest and busiest in Washington. The giving of superior values—selling thoroly reliable grades of boys' apparel for lower prices than exclusive clothiers can afford to quote, and the keeping of largest assortments of styles has won the patronage of a vast number of thrifty buyers. There are price inducements a-plenty for bringing your boy here tomorrow to be clothed.

Boys' Heavy-weight School Suits, of excellent grade of wool Cheviot in a varied assortment of neat darks stripes, checks, overplaids, etc. Double-breasted coat, with straight knee pants. Every seam strongly taped to prevent ripping. Sizes 7 to 16 years. These suits will withstand the rough play of the boys. Regular \$4.00 suits as judged by the comparison of other stores' values.

Boys' Navy Blue Serge Suits, in double-breasted Knick-

Boys' Navy Blue Serge Suits, in double-breasted Knick-erbocker style, sizes 6 to 17 years. Made of the famous American Woolen Co.'s pure worsted serge—guaranteed not to fade or break in the seams. Full lined and taped, finished thruout with silk stitching. Also in double-breasted models, with straight knee pants. Our usual price for this grade of suit is \$6.00—but no other store sells it for less than \$7.00. Specially priced for Saturday at.

Livenile, Suits for little fellows from 24 to 9 years of

Juvenile Suits, for little fellows from 2 age. Materials consist of serges, unfinished worsteds, cheviots and cassimeres, Velvet corduroy, fancy tweeds, etc. Colors are navy blue, royal, garnet, gray, brown, tan and fancy mixtures. Styles include square-collar sailor suits, Eton Russians, novelty military effects, and square sailor-collar belted Russian models. Some are trimmed with soutache braid and silk emblems. Others are plain. Values actually worth \$5.00 and \$6.00, for \$3.98

Boys' Long Tourist Overcoats, in newest form-fitting style. Full length, finished with velvet collar, hand-padded shoulders; long, open vent in back, lined with serge. Made of fancy mixed cloths, in a variety of neat patterns.. Sizes 8 to 16 years. Regular

Stylish Coats of Astrachan, for little fellows from 2½ to 7 years of age. In new shade of hunter's red, mixed gray and plain black. Cut full length. Finished with velvet collar, neatly trimmed with large military braid loops. Warmly lined. Button high at the \$4.98 throat. Regular \$6.50 value for

All-wool Serge Tam O'Shanters, for boys and children. Trimmed with silk emblem. Colors are red, navy blue and royal blue. These hats are popular for young folks this season, and sell regularly at 75c. Offered Saturday at.

Boys' Corduroy and Fancy Cheviot Knickerbocker Knee Pants, made with strap and buckle bottoms. Full cut and extra strongly finished to withstand the rough knocks of a boy's play. All sizes, from 7 to 16 years. Our regular one dollar pants offered for Saturday at.....

Big Values in Juvenile Wearables.

The service we render mothers has come to stand out best of its kind in Washington. We provide largest stocks of Children's Coats, Dresses, Caps, Hats and other wearables-and quote prices that should convince every careful spender that the children's apparel can be

bought to best advantage here. Children's Winter Coats of Astrachan, bearskin, novelty and plain cloths, warmly lined and trimmed with velvet, Children's White Bearskin Coats, in double-breasted style, finished with two

rows of buttons. Turndown collar and cuffs.

Sizes 6 months to 4 years. Special value at... Children's Knit Drawer-Leggins, in

Little Children's Caps, of silk, bearskin and velvet-daintily trimmed with ribbon and lace. Also Tam O'Shanters of cloth, serge and Astra-chan. All colors. This is a "sample line," and rep-resents values worth up to

\$1.50. Choice for..... Girls' School Dresses, of plain cashmere, bright-colored Scotch plaids and

fancy black-and-white mixtures; made in sailor and Russian styles, neatly trimmed with plaid silk, velvet and fancy buttons. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Special value at.

A very special value is represented in this offering of Girls' and Misses' All-wool Cream Serge "Peter Thompson" Suits; with deep sailor collar, trimmed with light blue or cream braid, embroidered emblem on shield; finished with brass buttons and em-

blem on shield; pleated skirt. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Actual \$7.00 years. Actual \$7.00 value for.....

Infants' Long and Short White Bedford Cord Coats, warmly lined and made with deep capes; trimmed with washable ribbon and braid. Reg-

Headquarters for Long Gloves.



This is literally true. When it became

apparent that there would be a great scarcity of Long Gloves, we placed immense orders with the leading importers. Our customers have always been able to supply their glove wants here-and now that the market is almost entirely barren of Long Gloves, we are able to offer complete assortments of the best sorts. In addition to this, you will find that our prices are almost invariably lower than other stores quote for equal grade Gloves. Here's evidence:

16-button length Suede Kid Gloves, in black and white. The usual price pair. Here \$2.75

8-button length Kid Gloves, in black, white and desirable colors. Others' \$1.50 values here at. \$1.19

Fowne's elbow length Silk Gloves, in black and white. Equally as fa-mous as Fowne's Kid sizes at, \$1.00

and Fabric Gloves.

Here, too, we enjoy advantages that mean better-than-usual values for our customers. All sizes and every kind. Experts to fit you properly, and a guarantee that means absolute satisfaction.

2-clasp Kid Gloves, at \$1 a pair—including Cape
Kid, Suede, Pique, Mocha, English Walking Gloves and
the celebrated "Perdonnet" French Kid Gloves. All
sizes, all colors. The best value obtainable anywhere. A splendid assortment of Fabric Gloves at 25c, a pair, in-

Attorneys Archer and Smith, for the de-

Regular \$12.50 @@ Tourist Coats P

The reason why: We bought all the short pieces of the cloth the maker had left on hand after filling his regular orders—and gave him an order for making up a lot of garments after one of the season's smartest models.

The goods cost \$2.00 a yard—and but for the fact that we bought these garments at a great sacrifice, we would be compelled to ask the regular price-which is \$12.50.

Handsome all-wool cloths, in light, medium and dark shades, including broken checks, mannish effects and smart plaids. Inlaid collar and turn-back cuffs of contrasting color cloth; trimmed with black slik soutache braid. Double-breasted front, loose Tourist back. Large patch pockets. Tailored in the most elegant manner. All sizes up to 44

Regular \$12.50 Value Tomorrow for \$6.98.

Women's and Young Ladies' Tourist Coats, made of handsome allwool Plaids and Novelty Mixtures, including stylish light gray plaids, fancy colored plaids, novelty mannish mixtures, novelty fancy checks and stylish stripes. 52 inches long. Collar and cuffs inlaid with contrasting color broadcloth, combined with designs of braid. Double-breasted box front, loose swagger back. All sizes. Regular \$16.50 value for.....



Stylish Clothing for Young Men at One-third Off Regular Prices.



Other stores' talky ads on fabrics and styles is not half so convincing as the plain statement we make-you can save exactly one-third on the price of any young man's Suit in this great purchase of famous "University" Clothes.

The name "University" Clothes stands for all that is best in young men's clothing. There's snap and style in every line. They are fashioned to meet the exacting requirements of the young man from 16 to 20 years old, whose garments must be "just so."

True to their name, these "UNIVERSITY" CLOTHES are cut in the correct collegian style, with extremely broad shoulders, form-fitting backs; some with three vents, others with no vents. In single and double-breasted models, the former model predominating-because it is the style most fancied by the young man of fashion.

These garments are fashioned with faultless care of the finest materials, such as fancy imported worsteds, overplaids, imported mixtures, plain effects, and, in fact, every other fabric approved by fashion.

Sizes in the lot range from 32 to 38 breast measure. They will fit young men from 16 years of age to their elders of any age who can wear 38 breast measure in regular size.

\$15.00 "University" Suits, \$10.00 \$18.00 "University" Suits, \$12.00 \$20.00 "University" Suits, \$13.33

Women's Suits at \$18.98 and \$26.50.

The time has arrived when we must lessen our stock of Women's Tailored Suits - especially among the lines of better-grade garments. Accordingly a new scale of prices goes into effect tomorrow-offering choice of high-class Suits at savings no woman can afford to ignore who has the slightest intention of buying a new suit this fall.

\$30 Broadcloth Suits Tomorrow \$18.98.

Tailor-made Suits of fine quality chiffon broadcloth; latest hip length; tightfitting effect; buttoned thru; tight-fitting Trimmed down on either side with close-fitting strap, graduated effect front and back, piped off with silk piping. Latest shaped collar and revers, inlaid with vel-vet. Turn-back cuffs of cloth. Jacket lined with satin. Smart walking length skirt, made with a pleated panel front, correctly flared and draped. In fashionable shades of "London smoke" gray, navy blue, brown and black. All sizes. Regular thirty-dollar value at \$18.98.



\$35 and \$40 Suits Tomorrow at \$26.50.

High-class Tailored Suits of imported chiffon broadcloth and cheviots, in-cluding plain tailor-made styles, hand-somely trimmed Etons, smart blouses, tight-fitting effects, Pony jackets, semi-blouses, vest-trimmed effects, embroidered and braid-trimmed jacket styles; in fact, the most ultra-fashionable models shown this season. Lined with taffets sille or this season. Lined with taffeta silk or

The skirts are either plainly pleated or trimmed in a variety of smart designs to match the jackets. In all the leading shades, as well as black. All sizes.

Worth \$35.00 and \$40.00, for \$26.50.

Men's Underwear Samples, 89c. Values Worth Up to \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Only one fault with this Underwear—the lot consists only of Shirts. We cannot remedy this-because in this special purchase of the maker's samples. we had to take just what he had. If you can find a need for a supply of Shirts you will secure the biggest bargains you've ever known.

Finest Underwear manufactured-including silk and wool garments, medium and heavy-weight Shirts, in all colors; also natural and white Shirts, plain blue and fancy striped effects.

Broken sizes—but almost every size in the lot. Qualities sold regularly at \$1.50, \$2.00, and \$2.50, for 89c.

COURT TAKES A HAND

TROUBLES IN SHILOH CHURCH AMICABLY ADJUSTED.

Temporary cessation of hostilities be tween the warring factions of Shiloh Baptist Church, colored, 16th and L streets northwest, was arranged after a detailed exposition of both sides of the case in Equity Court No. 1 today, before Chief Justice Clabaugh. The arrangement effected was at the suggestion of Justice Clabaugh, and the result will be that the new board of trustees, elected by one faction Friday last, will remain in power, while the other side will have the privilege of naming the preachers who shall fill the pulpit pending another election, provided the former pastor, Rev. J. Anderson Taylor, shall not officiate.

Outline of Grievances. It was explained that the deacons and and trustees composing the old board had changed the locks in the church doors, and parred the windows so that the meetings for worship on last Sunday and again for the prayer meeting on Wednesday could A formal order to this effect was drawn by Attorneys Ralston & Siddons and Archer & Smith, representing the two sides, and authorities, in the street.

was signed by Justice Clabaugh. Practically the end accomplished by this compromise is that an entirely new election, both for a pastor of the church and for the board of deacons and trustees, will be held upon a date to be mutually agreed.

When the case was reached on the motion list in Equity Court No. 1 this morning, the court room was crowded with those interested in Shiloh Church, both sides being represented. The action, as outlined in his explanation of the complainants' side of the case by Attorney Ralston, was brought to compel the old board of trustees of the church to relinquish possession of the church property and permit meetings to be held under direction of the pastor, Rev. Taylor, who, it was claimed, had been duly re-elected to fill the pulpit at a business meeting of the congregation last Friday.

Outline of Grievances.

Attorneys Archer and Smith, for the defendants, made the claim that the rules of the Baptist church make the first Friday night before the first Sunday in each month the proper and legal time for the transpaction of the business of the church, and that the election of a new board of trustees and the re-election of Rev. Taylor, or the acceptance of the withdrawal of his resignation, which was to take effect November I, was in the nature of a snap judgment in which a minority only of the congregation had voice. Reading his answer to the original bill, Attorneys Archer brough and that the rules of the Baptist Church make the first Friday night before the first Sunday in each month the proper and legal time for the transpace of the church, and that the election of a new board of trustees and the proper and legal time for the transpace of the church, and that the election of a new board of trustees and the proper and legal time for the church, and that the election of a new board of trustees and the proper and legal time for the church, and that the election of a new board of trustees and the proper and legal time for the church, and that the election of a new board of trustees an

friends of Taylor, who has been pastor of Shiloh Church for sixteen years, claim that the total of membership is between 900 and 1,300. Attorney Ralston presented a letter in which the accusation against the preach-Justice Clabaugh's Suggestion. Without permitting the argument to drag to great length, Chief Justice Clabaugh

be settled? It is a lamentable thing to see people who call themselves Christians com-

people who call themselves Christians coming into the public courts with a controversy of this kind."

The justice then made a suggestion that the old board of trustees be temporarily left in power, on one side, and the preacher, Taylor, remain in the pulpit until a new election, in which all qualified members can participate, may be held. This be said would be in the nature of mutual compromise, and would give opportunity for peaceful settling of all questions by majority rule without further appeal to the court. On the same line the judge suggested that the new board of trustees, who were chosen at the factional meeting on Friday last should be left in power pending a new election, and

Special Dispatch to The Star.

PIMLICO RACE TRACK, Md., November -First race, two-year-olds, five and a half furlongs-Bankali, 100; Earthquake, 100; Mamie Brady, 97; Daisy Frost, 97; Black Chalk, 97; Cave Adsum, 114; Tudor, 105; King of Spades, 102; Lady Vincent, 107; Nellie Racine, 102; Edwin H., 97; The

Nellie Racine, 102; Edwin H., 97; The Wrestler, 110.

Second race, three-year-olds and up, selling, six furlongs-Nattle Bumpo, 106; Singing six furlongs-Nattle Bumpo,

137; Stonebrook, 130; Blue Coat, 137; Paeon, 139; Simple Honours, 140; Oriflamme, 131; Mamle March, 130.

Sixth race, three-year-olds and up, selling, one mile—*Mark Meddle, 105; Kiamesha II, 107; *Hawthorne, 102; Madam Satan, 107; Toots, 107; *Gardner Tyler, 102; Ladsarion, 110; *Winifred A., 102; Oak Leaf, 107; Knight of Weston, 110; Maxey More, 107.

*Apprentice allowance.